

RESOLUTION OF RECOGNITION
FOR RUTHERFORD COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICERS AND
RUTHERFORD FIRE & RESCUE FIREFIGHTERS

WHEREAS, Rutherford County is fortunate to have dedicated and committed Rutherford County Sheriff's Office deputies and full-time Rutherford County Fire & Rescue Department firefighters who risk their lives to save citizens; and

WHEREAS, on Saturday night, December 6, 2014, the Sheriff's Office along with Fire & Rescue Department were called to a mother and her three daughters whose car was becoming submerged into the Stones River at Elam Mill Road; and

WHEREAS, the deputies and firefighters realized they must act quickly, attached a protective rope and plunged into the icy water with a swift current, risking their own lives; and

WHEREAS, firefighters Austin Garner, Chad Alexander and Nick Brewer and Sheriff's Cpls. Nigel Kapadia and Josh Anderson and Deputies Mike Farmer, Moses Mosby, Scott Daniel, Ramy Ibrahim, School Resource Officer James Coots and Lt. Nathan Pagel braced the rope and assisted the deputies and firefighters, and safely guided their co-workers into the water; and

WHEREAS, Sheriff's Lt. Chris Haynes, Engineer Ryan Connelly and firefighter Daniel Alexander and Sheriff's Sgt. Brian Wright, rescued the daughters and mother from the car.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Rutherford County Board of Commissioners that we extend this Resolution of Recognition to these officers and firefighters for their teamwork and bravery for risking their own lives to save this family.

RESOLVED this 11th day of December, 2014.

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